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COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCES
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ADOPTION OF THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE

Draft report

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Addendum

I. CALENDAR OF CONFERENCES AND MEETINGS

A. Matters related to, and inter-sessional departures from, the approved calendar for 1993

Introduction and overview

1. In its resolution 47/202 A of 22 December 1992, the General Assembly approved the draft revised calendar of conferences and meetings for 1993 as set forth in the annex to the report of the Committee on Conferences to the Assembly at its forty-seventh session 1/ and amended by subsequent decisions taken by the Assembly during that session.

2. At its organizational session on 2 March 1993, the Committee agreed that proposed changes to the calendar not having programme budget implications could be dealt with by the Secretariat in consultation with the Bureau of the Committee. The Committee was advised of a number of such changes in the course of 1993.

3. In addition, by written communication from the Secretary, the Committee was advised of requests for changes or additions to the approved calendar of conferences for 1993. The nature of the requests and the action taken by the Committee are described below.

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Organ	Request	Action taken
Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee for a Framework Convention on Climate Change	Convene its seventh session in New York from 15 to 19 or 20 March 1993 in order to prepare for the first session of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention	Request approved
Special High-level Council for the International Decade for Natural Disaster Reduction	The meeting, scheduled to be held at Geneva in 1992, should be convened in New York on 25 January 1993 to enable the Secretary-General to meet with the Special High-level Council	Request approved
Meeting of Governmental Experts from Land-locked and Transit Developing Countries and Representatives of Donor Countries and Financial and Development Institutions	The meeting, scheduled to be convened for three days at Geneva, should be convened in New York from 17 to 19 May 1993 to ensure maximum attendance among the representatives of the land-locked developing countries	Request approved
International Civil Service Commission	Convene its thirty-eighth session at the Vienna International Centre from 15 July to 3 August 1993, at the invitation of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO), rather than at its headquarters in New York	Request approved
Preparatory Committee for the World Conference on Human Rights	Extend the fourth session until 7 May 1993 to enable the Preparatory Committee to conclude its examination of the draft final document for the World Conference	Request approved

Organ	Request	Action taken
Preparatory Committee for the Global Conference on the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States	Change the date of the first session from 2-13 August to 30 August-10 September 1993 to permit the results of the regional technical meeting to be taken into account in the preparations for the Preparatory Committee, make it possible for the report of that meeting to be made available to the first session of the Preparatory Committee, and maximize participation by delegations in the session	Request approved

Notes

1/ Official Records of the General Assembly, Forty-seventh Session, Supplement No. 32 (A/47/32).